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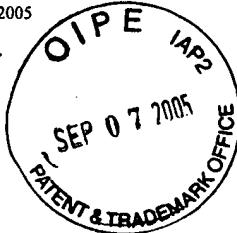
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09/688,766	10/16/2000	Shigeki Morikawa	6340-000017	1606

TITLE OF INVENTION: OUTLINE EXTRACTING APPARATUS AND METHOD AND COMPUTER READABLE MEMORY MEDIUM

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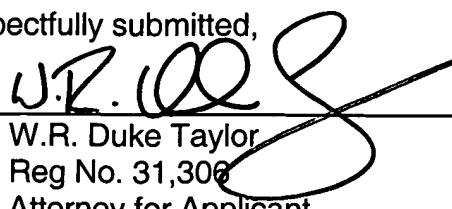
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